

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**Application of:** ZELDIS et al.

**Application No.:** 09/853,617

**Filed:** May 14, 2001

**For:** COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS  
FOR THE TREATMENT OF CANCER

**Group Art Unit:** 1623

**Examiner:** P. Lewis

**Attorney Docket No.:** 9516-022

**RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2003, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for entry into the record and consideration by the Examiner.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.